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Title : PROCEDURE FOR THE ISOLATION OF LARGE NUMBERS OF
MOLECULES, CELLS AND OTHER PARTICLES WHICH ARE
SPECIFICALLY BOUND TO LARGE PARTICLES

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is a Reply to the Office Action dated May 5, 2004 for the above-identified patent application.

A Petition for a one-month Extension of Time appears on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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